

<p style="text-align: center;">AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116</p> <p>Address to: Mail Stop AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450</p>	Attorney Docket No.	KEMP-002
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	First Named Inventor	KENDALL, MARK ANTHONY FERNANCE
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Sir:

This amendment is responsive to the Office Action dated August 22, 2006 for which a three-month period for response was given. A petition fee for a one month extension of time is attached hereto making this response timely filed on or before December 22, 2006. In view of the amendments to the claims and the remarks put forth below, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.